



Docket No.: 81862P251

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

KRISHNA SUNDARESAN, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/996,486

Filed: November 27, 2001

For: **Method and Apparatus for Efficient SPVC
Destination Endpoint Address Change**

Art Group: 2155

Examiner: David Y. Eng

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to January 31, 2006, from the Final Office Action dated August 31, 2005. The petition filing fee of \$450.00 and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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